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# IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS DALLAS DIVISION

IN RE: CARMEN ADRIANA §
DE LA TORRE, §
Debtor. § Case No. 08-36278-hdh-13

## **OBJECTION TO CHAPTER 13 PLAN**

COMES NOW secured creditor, JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A. (hereafter "Bank"), and hereby objects to Debtor's Chapter 13 Plan. In support of its objection, Bank shows the Court:

1. Debtor's Chapter 13 Plan provides Bank a scheduled amount of \$12,286.22 with a value of \$10,250.00 at 0.0%, with treatment of Pro-Rata, on Bank's collateral, a 2003 Chevrolet Suburban, Vehicle Identification Number 3GNEC16ZX3G148320.

2. At the time Debtor's case was filed, Bank was actually owed \$12,769.50 at the contract interest rate of 21.0% per annum, until paid. Bank filed its Proof of Claim in the amount of \$12,769.50.

3. Section 1325(a) provides that no "cram down" is allowed for purchase money security interests in motor vehicles purchased within 910 days of the bankruptcy petition. The subject vehicle was purchased July 1, 2006. Therefore, no "cram down" is permitted, and Bank should have an allowed claim for the entire amount it is owed set forth above, with interest at either the contract rate or the rate of prime plus a risk factor pursuant to *Till v. SCS Credit Corp.*, 541 U.S. 465, 124 S.Ct., 1951, 158 L. Ed. 2d 787,51 C.B.C.2d, 643 (2004).

4. Debtor proposes "pro-rata" payments, However, Bank is entitled to set and equal monthly payments pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 1325(a)(5)(B)(iii)(I), beginning with the first disbursement made by the Trustee post-confirmation to any entity.

WHEREFORE, PREMISES CONSIDERED, Bank prays for an Order of this Court:

- 1. denying confirmation of Debtor's Chapter 13 Plan as proposed; and
- 2. for such other and further relief, both general and specific, to which Bank may show itself justly entitled.

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## **CERTIFICATE OF CONFERENCE**

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that prior to the filing of this Objection, I did the following:

- 1. Attempted to confer with Debtor's counsel pursuant to District Court Local Rule 7.1(a) and N.D. TX L.B.R. 9014.1(c)(1).
- 2. No return call has been received by the same time on the second business day after such communication.

/s/ John W, Mee III (Date: January 13, 2009) John W. Mee III

#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

On this 13th day of January, 2009, a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served electronically on participants in the CM/ECF system and was mailed by First Class U.S. Mail, postage prepaid, to the following:

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